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VIA ECF

Hon. Loretta A. Preska
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007-1312

Re: *United States v. Donziger*, 19 Cr. 561 (LAP); 11 Civ. 691 (LAK)

Dear Judge Preska:

I write pursuant to the Court's January 5, 2021 order regarding the January 19, 2021 trial date, and the parties have conferred as directed. The defense objects to conducting the trial remotely. While the Special Prosecutors are ready to proceed to trial and prepared to begin on January 19, after consulting with defense counsel we have no objection to an adjournment. The defense proposed a trial date of May 10, 2021, a date to which we consent if the Court determines that an adjournment of trial is appropriate and that date is acceptable to the Court.

Respectfully submitted,

_____/s/_____
Rita M. Glavin
*Special Prosecutor on behalf
of the United States*